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AMERICAN CITIZENS WERE  
ON THE ARABICUntil their Safety is Assured, Our Government  
Will be UneasySECOND BIGGEST PASSENGER SHIP THAT HAS BECOME A VICTIM TO THE GERMAN  
SUBMARINES

(Associated Press)

London, Aug. 19, 7 p. m.—The White Star Line says that 375 out of 423 on the Arabic were saved.

## OFFICIALS ARE ALARMED

Washington, Aug. 19.—News of the torpedoing of the British liner Arabic, with Americans aboard, came as a shock to American officials, who hoped that since the last note to Germany there would be no further aggravation of the already tense situation. While it is unknown officially whether any American lives were lost, the torpedoing without warning of a vessel carrying Americans has in itself been pronounced by the United States as a violation of its rights which the note said if repeated would be regarded as "deliberately unfriendly."

ON BOARD THE ARABIC WERE  
21 AMERICANS

Queenstown, Aug. 20.—United States Consul Thompson stated this morning that there were twenty-one Americans among the Arabic's passengers. Sixteen are accounted for here.

FOUR AMERICANS ARE NOT AC-  
COUNTED FOR

London, Aug. 20.—The best available information today indicates that a score or more perished on the Arabic. Whether any Americans perished or not is not determined. Dr. Edmond F. Wood of Janesville, Wis., and Mrs. Josephine L. Brugiere, an American who has been making her home in Europe for several years, are among the missing. The White Star Line announced this morning that all but eight passengers were landed at Queenstown. Among the missing were four Americans.

Consul Thompson at Queenstown, cabled Washington authorities that Dr. Wood and Mrs. Brugiere are the only Americans missing. The others, James Houlihan of Philadelphia, and F. Thomas Elmore of New York, are reported saved.

About 400 or 423 are accounted for. The great majority of the missing are members of the Arabic's crew.

ENGLAND IS STIRRED BY THE  
INCIDENT

All England is stirred over the sinking of the Arabic. The possible effect on American-German relations is attracting attention. Definite word whether any Americans were lost or not is eagerly awaited here.

## NO WARNING GIVEN

The Arabic was torpedoed a few miles southeast of Fastnet. According to officials of the White Star Line no warning was given and the ship sank within ten minutes.

## ALMOST PERFECT ORDER

It was reported that passengers had just seen a British steamer, presumably the Dunsley torpedoed and that the Arabic's passengers were adjusting life preservers at the point where the German torpedo hit the ship. The passengers took to rafts and life boats and were later picked up by other ships and taken to Queenstown. There was almost perfect order in launching the boats according to many survivors. This and the fact that liners do not traverse the war zone without lifeboats swung out and that the day was clear, probably saved many lives. Captain Will Finck and most of the officers were saved.

SECOND BIGGEST GAME FOR  
SUBS

The Arabic's tonnage was 10,062 and she is the largest ship, except the Lusitania, that the Germans have torpedoed. The submarine was seen to rise just before it fired the torpedo that hit the starboard side of the ship about 100 feet from the stern.

CASCADING ON  
IMMENSE CROPSBIG YIELD OF CORN PROVING A  
STIMULUS TO BUSINESS

The prospects for heavy farm crops in old Marion this season has had its desirable effects in more ways than one. The latest business enterprise to be opened in Ocala is that of Mr. H. J. Nicholls' grain and feed business on West Broadway.

He proposes to buy all kinds of feed stuffs from the local farmers and is especially anxious to handle a portion of the bumper corn crop.

Mr. S. N. Igo is in charge of the business, and his long experience in the handling of all kinds of grain will insure the best of attention to all business of this nature entrusted to the new branch of this old established concern.

Notice the Nicholls advertisement in today's paper.

WHITE STAR LINE LOSES AN-  
OTHER BOAT

New York, Aug. 20.—Advices received here today report that the White Star liner Bovic, in the Australian service, was sunk by a German submarine.

## CARRIED NO CONTRABAND

The Arabic was en route from Liverpool to New York, therefore did not carry contraband. Of the 423 persons aboard, 181 were passengers and 242 were members of the crew. Only 32 are reported missing and all but six of these were members of the ship's crew.

CONFERRED WITH  
HIS CREDITORSMendenhall for the First Time in  
Weeks Attended a Business  
Meeting

Clearwater, Aug. 20.—Creditors of J. J. Mendenhall met yesterday in his office here to discuss his affairs. Mendenhall was present, handcuffed to a citizen to prevent any possible escape. The majority of the creditors of Mendenhall were represented and over an hour was spent in going over the books of the company. A stenographic report of the proceedings of the meeting was made. While the meeting continued, Mendenhall, still handcuffed, was under guard by sheriff's officers. At the conclusion of the business he was returned to his cell.

WHAT THE WAR MEANS  
TO GERMAN MOTHERS

(Associated Press)

Berlin, Aug. 20.—The colonel of a regiment stationed in the west issues an appeal for assistance to a mother who had suffered terribly through the war. Her nine sons and son-in-law went to the front. Five of the sons are dead, and three of them and the son-in-law are severely wounded.

Bring us your tires and tubes to be vulcanized. We have the best equipment, in apparatus, material and knowledge in this section of the state. A casing vulcanized by us is as good in that spot as if it were new. We do not patch tubes, we VULCANIZE them. Davies, the Tire Man. 8-12-15

## FOR A SPKAINED ANKLE

If you will get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and observe the directions given therewith faithfully, you will recover in much less time than is usually required. Obtainable everywhere.

SENDING HELP  
TO SUFFERERSMORE THAN A HUNDRED DEAD  
AND AT LEAST TWICE AS  
MANY ARE MISSING

(Associated Press)

Houston, Texas, Aug. 20.—Several scores of injured, mostly from coast towns, are in the hospitals as the result of the recent storm. Fifty injured soldiers from Texas City arrived this morning.

Fifty thousand loaves of bread were started to Galveston and fifty barrels of other foodstuffs. Twenty thousand loaves of bread are expected from Dallas and San Antonio. Wallaceville, on the east side of Galveston Bay, asks for help. Only three houses are left in a town of a thousand people.

## MORE THAN 100 DEAD

More than 100 persons are known to have lost their lives in the hurricane, and twice that number were reported as missing last night.

## MORE BODIES FOUND

Galveston, Aug. 20.—Thirteen bodies are in the local morgues as the toll of the storm. Seven are unidentified.

Two men arriving from Beaumont say there are twenty-seven dead at Virginia Beach.

## NOTICE TO WOODMEN

A Large Delegation Expected to Go  
to Fellowship Sunday

A considerable number of Ocala Woodmen are expected to go to Fellowship Sunday. Members of the lodge will meet at Woodmen hall at 2 o'clock p. m. and as many as can will go in autos and private conveyances, three or four cars having been offered and more expected. The services will take place at 3:30 and the Ocala camp will be assisted by the Berlin camp.

ICE CREAM SUPPER AT  
KENDRICK THIS EVENING

There will be an ice cream supper tonight at Kendrick, a moonlight affair, and a most pleasant evening's entertainment has been arranged. All who can go are cordially invited. The Kendrick ladies know how to entertain and a moonlight evening doubly assures all who go of a pleasant time.

## DEATH OF A LITTLE CHILD

Little Ernest Wilson Mercer, aged two years, from Lochloosa, child of a farmer by the name of Frank Mercer, who moved there recently from Largo, where he had lived for many years, died this morning at 3:30 o'clock at the hospital.

The little fellow was brought here in a dying condition yesterday afternoon. Several physicians examined him closely and watched over him all afternoon and far into the night and agreed that his case was hopeless and that an attempt at an operation would be immediately fatal, so was not undertaken. The little fellow's trouble was diagnosed by four physicians as intussusception. The little body was sent home at noon today for interment there.

Those cakes made at Carter's Bakery under the name "DELICIOUS" are everything that the name indicates. Six flavors made fresh every day and put up in 10c packages. Accept no other.

MIGHT AS WELL  
KEEP THE MONEYLITTLE USE TO OFFER REWARDS FOR THE FRANK  
LYNCHERS

(Associated Press)

Atlanta, Aug. 20.—Governor Harris announced today that he would call a conference here of officials of Baldwin and Cobb counties to consider further steps in the Frank investigation. The state prison farm is located in Baldwin county; Frank's body was found in Cobb. It is reported that officials differ which shall take the initiative.

The governor has offered a reward of \$1500 for the first three lynchings convicted. Solicitors, sheriffs and county judges of the counties between Milledgeville and Marietta will also be invited. Reports say Frank may have been killed in some of those counties and his body taken to Cobb.

MIGHT AS WELL KEEP THEIR  
MONEY

New York, Aug. 20.—Prominent Christians and Jews met here yesterday to discuss plans for cooperating with the Georgia authorities in apprehending the men who lynched Leo M. Frank. They will raise funds.

Dr. Cyrus Adler, chairman of the American Jewish committee declined to aid, saying he believed it was a matter for the Georgia authorities.

OCALA KNITTING MILLS  
ARE GOING AHEADOne Day's Orders Taken in By this  
Busy and Beneficial Institution

Thursday, Aug. 19, the Ocala Knitting Mill booked the following orders: Denver, Colo., 40 doz.; U. S.; Lancaster, Pa., 100 doz.; Pittsburg, Pa., 40 doz.; El Paso, Texas, 40 doz.; Monroe, La., 50 doz.; Roanoke, Va., 40 doz.; Lynchburg, Va., 120 doz.; Baltimore, Md., 500 doz.; Gaffney, S. C., 80 doz.; Washington, D. C., 80 doz.; Durham, N. C., 80 doz.; St. Joseph, Mo., 50 doz.; Cincinnati, O., 400 doz.; Baltimore, 550 doz.; Pittsburg, Pa., 80 doz.; Savannah, Ga., 200 doz.; Las Vegas, N. M., 24 doz.; Munstern, Tenn., 80 doz.; Terra Haute, Ind., 160 doz.; Savannah, Ga., 80 doz.; Goldsboro, N. C., 40 doz.; Tulsa, Okla., 100 doz.; New Orleans, La., 90 doz.; Houston, Tex., 80 doz.; Philadelphia, 150 doz.; Baltimore, 250 doz.; Mobile, Ala., 150 doz.; Baltimore, Md., 80 doz.; Nashville, Tenn., 40 doz.; Memphis, Tenn., 100 doz.; Baltimore, Md., 80 doz.; Wheeling, W. Va., 120 doz.; St. Louis, Mo., 80 doz.; Wichita, Kan., 80 doz.; Baltimore, Md., 40 doz.; Youngstown, O., 50 doz.; Beaumont, Texas, 50 doz.; Evansville, Ind., 48 doz.; Philadelphia, 60 doz.; Norfolk, Va., 80 doz.; Albion, Miss., 50 doz.; Philadelphia, 100 doz.; New York, 456 doz.

## EUREKA

Eureka, Aug. 19.—The entire community was greatly saddened Sunday evening when news was spread that Mrs. Doc. Brinson was dead at her home at Mill Creek. Mrs. Brinson had been sick for some time and death was hourly expected, but when word came from the sick chamber that death had claimed its own the news struck like a thunderbolt upon the hearts of those who were near and dear to her, but "in the midst of life we are in death," therefore we have no choice but to bow our heads in submission to the divine will of our creator. It is a sad thought that we must all whisper our last good-byes to those we have loved so dearly here on earth and to see those of love torn from our hearts but there is a happier thought, dear friends; there is one great eternity, and in that eternity there will be no farewells. God is indeed good and he has given us a hope, a promise that is eternal unless we blast them of our own accord.

Mrs. Brinson will be missed beyond all expression by all who knew her. She was a faithful Christian woman, enduring the trials of earth without a murmur. She leaves a husband and three dear little ones to mourn her death and numerous other relatives and friends. We can think of no word to express our sympathy, but commend the bereaved ones to the gentle mercies of the divine maker.

COTTON WILL BE  
DECLARED CONTRABANDController Williams Says Our Na-  
tional Banks Have Plenty  
of Cash

(Associated Press)

Washington, Aug. 20.—Controller of the Currency Williams announces that the present unemployed loaning capacity of the national banks and reserve banks is sufficient to finance at market value the entire cotton crop and half, if not all of the tobacco and wheat crops and to justify expansion of a credit of two or three billion dollars.

Just before this announcement the British embassy authorized the statement that the Allies had agreed upon the principle that cotton was contraband.

In his statement Controller Williams said: "It is far better for the banks to employ their surplus funds in making loans on staple commodities, where they can relieve congestion or promote legitimate commercial transactions, rather than to permit these funds to be used for the inflation of the stock market, where speculation in securities has already reached a point which invites caution."

## BURIED IN BROOKLYN

FRANK'S BATTERED CORPSE  
LAID TO REST BY HIS  
FRIENDS

(Associated Press)

Brooklyn, Aug. 20.—The body of Leo M. Frank was buried in Mount Carmel cemetery in Brooklyn this morning. Automobiles at high speed carried the funeral party in a vain effort to elude photographers and newspaper men.

and pray for the peace angel to rest with them and bring reconciliation to the wounded hearts. "Yea, tho' I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me, they rod and thy staff they comfort me."

Misses Stella and Nattalene Friar of St. Petersburg are guests of their father for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harp attended the funeral of Mrs. Doc. Brinson at Orange Springs Monday afternoon.

Messrs. I. M. Hinson, E. Hinson and F. M. Harp went on a fishing trip to Salt Springs last week.

Mrs. E. Hinson and two bright children of Bay Lake were guests of Mrs. I. M. Hinson for a few days last week.

Mr. Bailey Waldron and sister, Miss Mattie of Bay Lake were in our burg Saturday afternoon.

Quite a number of young people enjoyed a social gathering and pillow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Harp Friday night. They all had quite a delightful time and its evident that they are anticipating another soon.

Mr. Tyson Parramore, who has been the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Parramore, left for Tampa Sunday morning.

Mr. J. H. Lanair is visiting relatives at Pedro for awhile.

Quite a crowd of home folks gathered near the river Saturday and had a fish fry. Everybody had plenty to eat and a good time. The young people all enjoyed an automobile ride in the afternoon, while the older ones sat around sipping delicious coffee and telling fish (fishy) stories, until the lateness of the hour drove them home. Say, friends, if you want to have a good time, just come to some of Eureka's homefolks' fish fries, and then you'll want to be homefolks, too.

## SEED POTATOES

Our new Irish potatoes for fall planting are now in. Ocala Seed Store. 8-11-15

MAY FALL BACK  
TO MOSCOWPossibly Russian Government  
Will Leave Petrograd

(Associated Press)

London, Aug. 20.—Officials at Petrograd are discussing the advisability of removing the government to Moscow. The Germans are pressing onward to the last outlying fortresses protecting the capital. Kovno is definitely in German hands and Berlin claims the capture of Novo Georgievsk. General MacKensen's flanking movement is more threatening hourly. It wouldn't be surprising if the Russians abandon all efforts to form a new defense line with Brest-Litovsk as the pivot.

From Brest-Litovsk to Osmestz fierce fighting favors the invaders. The latter place seems withstanding the assaults of the German heavy guns better than any other fortress.

Petrograd states that the Russian warships protecting the Riga gulf were compelled to withdraw, owing to the superiority of the German squadron.

ITALY AND TURKEY FALLING  
OUT

Italy and Turkey appear on the brink of open rupture. The Italian public expects war, which will give their forces an opportunity to cooperate with the allies at the Dardanelles.

FRENCH BLUNT THE GERMAN  
WEDGE

In the western theater, the French hold roads between Mons and Arras, which when the Germans held them, formed a wedge in the allied lines.

RUSSIANS MADE A STUBBORN  
RESISTANCE

Berlin, Aug. 20.—Official announcement is made of the fall of Novo Georgievsk, the important Russian fortress. Twenty thousand men and large quantities of supplies were captured. Emperor William is going there to thank the officers and men. The resistance of the Russians was stubborn.

WORKING AROUND THE RU-  
SIAN WING

Berlin, Aug. 20.—The left wing of Gen. MacKensen's army has driven the Russians behind Kotorka-Kulva, southeast of Brest-Litovsk.

## RIGA IN DANGER

London, Aug. 20.—German warships are again menacing Riga, a big Russian Baltic port.

## ITALY PREPARING TO INVADE

Italy has concentrated five army corps at Apulia under order to leave for an unnamed destination.

Simultaneously Italy has concentrated a strong squadron of fast cruisers at Taranto in readiness to steam immediately. These ships are expected to be sent against Turkey, unless Italy's demand for the release of the Italians there is granted.

## SECOND LINE IS UNTENABLE

It is believed here that the German advances in Poland have made it impossible for the Russians to make a stand on the Brest-Litovsk line.

The French claim local advances in the west, but there has been no big developments. The same seems to apply to the Austro-Italian front.

\* Use Nyal's family remedies. All good—good for all. Sold by Annex Drug Store. 16-15

## THE CLERK GUARANTEED IT

"A customer came into my store the other day and said to one of my clerks, 'have you anything that will cure diarrhoea?' and my clerk went and got him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and said to him, 'if this does not cure you, I will not charge you a cent for it.' So he took it home and came back in a day or two and said he was cured," writes J. H. Berry & Co., Salt Creek, Va. Obtainable everywhere.

MIGHT AS WELL  
APPEAL TO MOLOCHGerman Socialists Protest to their  
Government Against the Annex-  
ation of Belgium

(Associated Press)

Paris, Aug. 20.—"Humanitie" publishes a long manifesto against the annexation of conquered territory by Germany. The manifesto is addressed to the imperial chancellor jointly by committees of social democrats and the social group in the Reichstag. It points out that the party joined the struggle to defend national independence, not to make conquests.

## WACAHOOA

Wacahoota, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Charlie Mixon and Dr. Guy Mixon of Grahamville motored over and were guests to supper of Mrs. C. M. Smith last Tuesday night. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. R. Beck, who transacted business in the University City till Thursday, returning home by way of Micanopy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bruton, Mr. J. F. Bruton and Miss Olive Phiney and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Curry and daughter Thelma attended the funeral of little Austin Bruton, son of Mr. Harry Bruton at Micanopy last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. M. R. Beck and Miss Rosalie Smith of this place and Miss Loretta Rawls of Montbrook, left on the early morning train Saturday for Pablo Beach, where they will spend several weeks, recuperating at that health resort. We hope they will be greatly benefited by the salt breeze and bathing in the surf.

Messrs. J. M. and C. M. Smith were Saturday afternoon callers at Williston.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes Whittington and children of McIntosh, were guests of Mrs. J. M. Smith to dinner Sunday.

Rev. Entzinger of Micanopy, filled his regular appointment here Sunday afternoon and preached an able sermon on "The Price of Leadership." At the conclusion of the services Mr. John and Miss Bessie McKinney united with the church. They will be baptized at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, after which they will be received into the church. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith and two charming daughters, Misses Theora and Lula and Mrs. T. N. Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Epperson of Williston Sunday for dinner, it being the birthday of little R. C. Epperson and Mr. Napoleon Smith. They report a huge dinner and a pleasant day.

Miss Theora Smith left Monday for a week's visit to her brother, Mr. L. D. Smith in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Smith went to Micanopy Tuesday and Mrs. Smith left for Santa Fe, near Worthington Springs, for several weeks' outing.

Mr. Cedrick Smith wears a broad smile now. He caught the largest trout of the season Monday afternoon. He tipped the scales at thirteen pounds.

Mrs. J. P. Smith and Mrs. V. P. Smith and Miss Leola Smith left for Gainesville Tuesday, Mr. C. C. Pedrick of that place motoring over for them. Mrs. J. P. Smith will visit relatives in Gainesville, while Mrs. V. P. Smith left on the 2:30 train for White Springs to enjoy an outing of several weeks. Miss Leola Smith went to Worthington Springs for a week's visit with a schoolmate.